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For: **PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITION OF A PDE4 OR A PDE3/4 INHIBITOR AND
A HISTAMINE RECEPTOR AGONIST**

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 2-14, 18-26, 29-34, 38-42 and 44-47, and cancel claims 15, 27 and 43 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein, as outlined in Appendix A, entitled "Claim Amendments", attached herewith.

IN THE ABSTRACT

Please add the Abstract as outlined in Appendix B, attached herewith.

REMARKS

The amendments to the claims do not introduce new matter within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. §132. Accordingly, the Examiner is